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VG-DVI, version 1

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1. Specifications

Housing: Metal

Resolution (Maximum): 2560 x 1600

User Controls: (1) 15-position Mode Select switch, (1) EDID Copy button

Connectors: Input: (1) DVI-D female; Output: (1) DVI-D female; (1) 5-VDC barrel connector for power

Indicators: (1) Dual-color Status LED

Power: 5-VDC power supply

Size: 0.9"H x 2.3"W x 3.6"D (2.2 x 5.1 x 8 cm)

Weight: 4.5 oz. (130 g)

2. Overview

2.1 Features

EDID Ghost:

• Read and store (record) the EDID from the connected display to the video extension system. EDID Emulation

• Emulate EDID information to display the optimum video resolution.

• Provide a default EDID if a display's EDID is not available.

• Alternately, apply the default of the copied EDID for the connected display device.

• Handles dual-link resolutions (2560 x 1600).

2.2 What's Included • (1) DVI-D EDID Ghost

• (1) USB power cable

• (1) set of foot pads

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NOTE: Use only good quality cables to avoid interference. Place cables away from fluorescent lights, air conditioners, and machines that can generate electrical noise.

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Table 3-1. Rotary switch settings.

Position	Description
0	Auto
1	User-recorded EDID (manual)
2	1024 x 768
3	1280 x 720
4	1280 x 1024
5	1366 x 768
6	1440 x 900
7	1600 x 900
8	1600 x 1200
9	1680 x 1050
А	1920 x 1080
В	1920 x 1200
С	1920 x 1440
D	2048 x 1152
E	2560 x 1440 (DVI-DL)
F	2560 x 1600 (DVU-DL)





Figure 4-1. Installation diagram

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Chapter 2: Overview

2.3 Hardware Description

Figure 2-1 shows the DVI-D EDID Ghost's front, back, side, and top panels. Table 2-1 describes their components. 2



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Table 2-1. DVI-D EDID Ghost's components.						
ID in Fig. 2-1	Component	Description				
1	Video connector	Connect the input side of the DVI-D EDID Ghost to the monitor or switch.				
2	Video connector	Connect the output side of the Ghost to the PC.				
3	LED indicator	Blue: Power on Red: Error				
4	Power supply	Apply the proper power to the unit.				
5	Push button	EDID Copy button				
6	Rotary switch	See Table 3-1 for rotary switch settings.				

3. Configuring the EDID

3.1 EDID Copy (EDID Ghost)

Copy new monitor EDID:

Step 1: Set the rotary switch to "1."

Step 2: Power ON the unit.

- Step 3: Connect the EDID-compliant monitor to the video port on the DVI-D EDID Ghost and power on the monitor
- Step 4: Press the "EDID Copy" button and release the button right after the LED flashes green (3-5 seconds).

Step 5: The LED flashes red and green alternately and then lights blue when the copy is complete.

NOTE: If the LED flashes red:

a. The monitor is not properly connected.

b. The monitor is not powered on.

c. EDID data for the monitor is not available

Repeat Steps 3 and 4.

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 \bigcirc Figure 2-1. DVI-D EDID Ghost.





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3.2 EDID Emulation

Use the pre-programmed EDID:

Choose the display's resolution from the rotary switch table (Table 3-1).

Step 1: Set the rotary switch to the position 1–9 or A–F.

NOTE: If you select "1," you must first perform EDID Copy as described in Section 3.1.

Step 2: Connect the display and video source to the VG-DVI. See Figure 3-1.



Figure 3-1. Connection diagram

Step 3: Power on the system.

3.3 Rotary Switch

0 = Auto mode; power on the unit connected to the display so the display's EDID will be automatically recorded.

1 = User-recorded EDID (manual mode): In this mode, users can Copy EDID to a monitor.

1–9 and A–F = EDID Emulator: Emulate the maximum display resolution for video source reading.



Figure 3-2. Rotary switch.

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